

An act for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors ;

An act to amend the charter of the Fair of the Carolinas, at Charlotte ;

An act to change the time of holding the Superior Courts for the counties of Rockingham and Chatham, in the Seventh Judicial District.

The following named bills were introduced, read and passed first time, and were referred, or otherwise disposed of, as follows :

TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY.

By Mr. Jones of Caldwell: A bill to be entitled an act to provide for a special election in the county of Caldwell. H. B. No. 416.

By Mr. Bennett: A bill to be entitled an act to repeal all laws, parts of laws or clauses of laws, public or private, heretofore passed giving or dedicating or purporting to give or dedicate any part of the swamp lands of the State to any railroad or other corporation or company. H. B. No. 417.

TO THE COMMITTEE ON PROPOSITIONS AND GRIEVANCES.

By Mr. Dickey: A bill to be entitled an act for the relief of persons who have entered vacant lands in Cherokee, Clay and Graham counties. H. B. No. 418.

By Mr. Bryson of Jackson: A bill to be entitled an act for the better protection of sheep in Jackson county. H. B. No. 419.

By Mr. Bowman: A bill to be entitled an act to lay off and establish a new county by the name of Badger. H. B. No. 420.

By Mr. Maxwell: A bill to be entitled an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors within two miles of New Hope church, in the county of Sampson. H. B. No. 421.